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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (37 CFR § 1.114)					
Sir:					
Applicant(s) requests continued examination of the above-identified application under 3 CFR §1.114.					
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Serial No. 09/676,584 Filed: September 29, 2000 Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Filed: July 31, 2007 Request for suspension of action: Applicant(s) hereby request suspension of action on the above-identified application under 37 CFR §1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; requires Processing Fee under 37 CFR §1.17(i)). Small Entity Status: Applicant hereby asserts entitlement to claim small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27. A small entity statement or assertion of entitlement to claim small entity status was filed in prior application no.\_\_\_\_ / and such status is still proper and desired. П Is no longer desired. Applicant(s) calculate the following fees to be due in connection with this Request: A Request fee of \$790.00 under 37 CFR §1.17(e). A suspension processing fee of \$\_\_\_\_under 37 CFR §1.17(i). An additional filing fee of \$ under 37 CFR §1.16 (\_\_\_\_\_ additional independent claims and/or additional total claims). An extension fee of \$ under 37 CFR §1.17(a) for a \_\_\_\_\_-month extension of time. M Fee payment to cover the above-enumerated fee(s): Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 (BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE) in the amount of \$790.00. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional  $\boxtimes$ filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925 (BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE). Respectfully submitted, JULY 31, 2007 Sanders N. Hillis (Reg. No. 45,712)